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RE: Application Serial No.: 10/614,006

Applicants: Eiji KAMIYA

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For: NON-VOLATILE SEMICONDUCTOR MEMORY  
DEVICE AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING  
THE SAME

Group Art Unit: 2818

Examiner: HUYNH, A.

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In response to the Election Requirement dated June 11, 2004 Applicant elects without traverse Group I, Claims 1-6, drawn to a device, classified in class 257, subclass 315.

Accordingly, examination on the merits of Claims 1-6 is believed to be in order and an early and favorable action is respectfully requested.

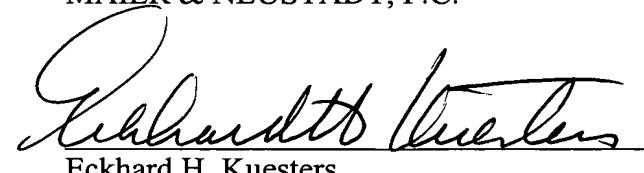
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